

\* Gentlemen:

I have read the two supplemental DEIS regarding Yucca Mountain and I am submitting the following comments:

- 1 [ 1. Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for a Geologic Repository for the Disposal of Spent Nuclear Fuel and High-Level Radioactive Waste at Yucca Mountain, Nye County, NV (DOEIEIS-0250FS 1 D) According to Agency for Nuclear Projects Nuclear Waste Project Office, Yucca Mountain is located in an area that the US Geological Survey classifies as very prone to earthquakes. Also, it has been recently discovered that there are 10 earthquake faults within 20 miles of Yucca Mountain. One fault, The Solitario Canyon, just west of the planned repository is capable of producing a 6.5 magnitude earthquake. How damaging can a seismic event, such as this be? What other types of studies are being done to make sure the repositories are safe? ]
- 2 [ 2. Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for a Geologic Repository for the Disposal of Spent Nuclear Fuel and High-Level Radioactive Waste at Yucca Mountain, Nye County, Nevada--Nevada Rail Transportation Corridor (DOEIEIS-0250F-S2D) It has been recently reported that The Yucca Mountain Project will need up to three times it's current funding, or the 2017 opening date will have to be delayed. Can you tell me the plans to cut the budget without sparing the expense of America's safety? As a Nevada resident, I am concerned that cutting budgets will also cut the quality of securing the facility and railway construction, which in turn can and will affect the project in the future. How can you assure me that will not happen? ]

Thank you for your time and consideration.  
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